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S1	135	READ()ONCE
S2	2463706	SORT OR SORTS OR SORTED OR SORTING OR ARRANG? OR REARRANG? OR ORDER OR REORDER?
S3	315268	ALPHABETIS? OR ALPHABETIC? OR ALPHABETIZ? OR GROUPING OR R- EGROUPING OR GROUPS OR GROUPED OR INDEXING OR INDEXED
S4	3022027	TEXT? OR RECORD? OR KEYWORD? OR TERM OR TERMS OR WORD? OR - STRING? OR CHARACTER?
S5	1141271	AUTOMATON? OR AGENT? OR IA OR SOFTBOT? OR BOT OR BOTS OR R- OBOT?
S6	285426	KEY OR KEYS OR ASCEND? OR DESCEND?
S7	1113401	TUPLE? OR TABLE? OR ROW OR COLUMN? OR GRAPH? OR ROWS OR MA- TRIX? OR MATRICES
S8	2077247	VALUE? OR WEIGHT? OR SCORE? OR HIERARCH? OR MULTILEVEL?
S9	5614	S3(3N)S4
S10	252	S5 AND S9
S11	100	S10 AND (S6 OR S7 OR S8)
S12	1	S11 AND IC=G06F-007?
S13	8	S11 AND IC=G06F?
S14	26	S5(5N)S9
S15	6	S14 AND S11
S16	18	S3 AND S5 AND S6 AND S7
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S19	44	S17 NOT AD>20010727
S20	45	S18 OR S19
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S22	11	IDPAT (sorted in duplicate/non-duplicate order)
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**System and method for information search using adjacent query**

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Inventor: CHON S J; CHUN J H

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
KR 2002032060	A	20020503	KR 200062941	A	20001025	200270 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): KR 200062941 A 20001025

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
KR 2002032060	A	1		G06F-017/30	

Abstract (Basic): KR 2002032060 A

NOVELTY - A system and a method for an information search using an adjacent query are provided to enable a beginner to easily approach to the desired information by processing a query inputted from an Internet user.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The system comprises a robot agent(20) touring the web servers on the Internet and automatically collecting, indexing and databasing various kinds of information displayed on each homepage, an index agent(30) mutually connecting with the **robot agent**, extracting an index **word** by **indexing** the information collected by the **robot agent** and storing the collected information in each index word, a registration agent(40) mutually connecting with the **robot agent** and **index agent**, and storing the information indexed by the **index agent** by classifying into the index word and category, and a search agent(50) mutually connecting with the **index agent** and **registration agent**, extracting the index word according to the adjacent query by analyzing the query word inputted by a client and providing the information corresponding to the index word to the client by extracting from the **registration agent**.

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Title Terms: SYSTEM; METHOD; INFORMATION; SEARCH; ADJACENT; QUERY

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-017/30

File Segment: EPI

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WPI Acc No: 1999-550909/199946

XRPX Acc No: N99-407662

Performance metric data conversion method for converting performance data into generic format

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Inventor: BRYAN B C; WACLAWSKI A C

Number of Countries: 024 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
WO 9944145	A1	19990902	WO 99US4243	A	19990225	199946 B
US 6128628	A	20001003	US 9831965	A	19980227	200050
EP 1064603	A1	20010103	EP 99909647	A	19990225	200102
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MX 2000008437	A1	20011201	MX 20008437	A	20000828	200282

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 9831965 A 19980227

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
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MX 2000008437	A1	G06F-013/00
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Abstract (Basic): WO 9944145 A1

NOVELTY - The method involves processing performance metric data, and converting the data from Universal/Uniform data format (UDF) into a form readable by data analysis/reporting tools (30) e.g. SAS IT Service Vision.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Performance metric data is collected by collection agents (15) in UDF files. Universal/Uniform data format files produced by the same collection agent (15) are reformatted and mapped to a dataset having a number of records or observations. The datasets are sorted by grouping the records according to a characteristic such as an attribute, and performance data tables are constructed from the sorted datasets in the form of SAS datasets. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for; an apparatus for converting performance metric data from multiple nodes, produced by collection agents resident on the nodes; a computer program product for converting performance metric data from multiple nodes, produced by collection agents, from UDF files into a generic format; a system for processing and analyzing performance metric data for input to a data analysis/reporting tool.

USE - Converting computer system performance data into generic format, for evaluating computing capacity for institutions that employ multiple computers.

ADVANTAGE - By processing performance metric data into SAS datasets, the volume of performance metric data input to the data analysis product is reduced.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing is a block diagram of a system architecture of the invention.

- Node (10)
- Data analysis computer (20)
- Desktop analysis/reporting system (40)
- Web server (45)
- PC with web browser (50)

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Title Terms: PERFORMANCE; METRIC; DATA; CONVERT; METHOD; CONVERT;

PERFORMANCE; DATA; FORMAT

Derwent Class: T01; U21; W02

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-013/00 ; G06F-015/53 ;  
G06F-017/30

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G06F-013/12 ; H03M-009/00; H04N-001/21

File Segment: EPI

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WPI Acc No: 1997-137189/199713  
XRPX Acc No: N97-113264

Userdefined character extension utilisation method for IPS - by processing data that is sent from circulating agency system based on user defined character environment formed by user defined character environmental formation unit

Patent Assignee: FUJITSU LTD (FUIT )

Inventor: OOISHI I

Number of Countries: 003 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
JP 9016561	A	19970117	JP 95159400	A	19950626	199713	B
CN 1139244	A	19970101	CN 96106226	A	19960503	199809	
US 5802538	A	19980901	US 96630245	A	19960410	199842	
JP 3535266	B2	20040607	JP 95159400	A	19950626	200437	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 95159400 A 19950626

Patent Details:

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JP 9016561	A	13		G06F-017/21	
CN 1139244	A			G06F-017/28	
US 5802538	A			G06F-003/14	
JP 3535266	B2	14		G06F-017/21	Previous Publ. patent JP 9016561

Abstract (Basic): JP 9016561 A

The method involves circulating a document data to a number of circulation place systems (2) from a circulating agency system (1). An user defined character partition unit (1a) divides the user defined characters into a number of user defined **character groups**. These **character groups** that are divided is made lower than the mixture of user defined **character groups** that is to be handled by the circulation place system. An user defined character file stores the font pattern information of the user defined character corresponding to each user defined group. A character code conversion **table** is also stored in the user defined character file.

An user defined character environmental production unit (1b) is provided at the circulating agency system so as to produce the user defined character environments (4a -4n) for every user defined character group. An user defined character environmental formation unit (2a) is provided so as to form a number of user defined character environments for every user defined character group to act as circulation place system. A document data processing unit (26) is set up to process the document data that is sent from the circulating agency system based on the user defined character environment established by the user defined character environmental formation unit.

ADVANTAGE - Enables displaying user defined character contained in document data reliably.

Dwg.1/19

Title Terms: CHARACTER; EXTEND; UTILISE; METHOD; PROCESS; DATA; SEND; CIRCULATE; AGENT ; SYSTEM; BASED; USER; DEFINE; CHARACTER; ENVIRONMENT; FORMING; USER; DEFINE; CHARACTER; ENVIRONMENT; FORMATION; UNIT

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-003/14 ; G06F-017/21 ; G06F-017/28

File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R) File 350:Derwent WPIX

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WPI Acc No: 1991-148880/199120

XRPX Acc No: N91-114268

Categorisation automata using neuronal group selection with reentrant -  
senses and categorises objects, sorts objects according to categories and  
controls robot effector mechanisms

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Inventor: EDELMAN G M; REEKE G N

Number of Countries: 036 Number of Patents: 013

Patent Family:

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WO 9106055	A	19910502				199120	B
AU 9066268	A	19910516				199133	
PT 95558	A	19920529	PT 95558	A	19901010	199227	
EP 495901	A1	19920729	EP 90916136	A	19901010	199231	
			WO 90US5868	A	19901010		
US 5136687	A	19920804	US 89419524	A	19891010	199234	
JP 5503597	W	19930610	JP 90515021	A	19901010	199328	
			WO 90US5868	A	19901010		
AU 644116	B	19931202	AU 9066268	A	19901010	199404	
EP 495901	A4	19931013	EP 90916136	A		199527	
IL 95951	A	19971120	IL 95951	A	19901010	199809	
CA 2067217	C	19990223	CA 2067217	A	19901010	199919	
EP 495901	B1	20010103	EP 90916136	A	19901010	200102	
			WO 90US5868	A	19901010		
DE 69033681	E	20010208	DE 633681	A	19901010	200115	
			EP 90916136	A	19901010		
			WO 90US5868	A	19901010		
ES 2154257	T3	20010401	EP 90916136	A	19901010	200123	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 89419524 A 19891010

Cited Patents: 1.Jnl.Ref; US 4796199; US 4852018; US 4884216; US 4918617

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US 5136687	A	86	G06F-015/00				
JP 5503597	W		G06F-015/18	Based on patent WO 9106055			
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DE 69033681	E		G06F-015/18	Based on patent EP 495901			
				Based on patent WO 9106055			
ES 2154257	T3		G06F-015/18	Based on patent EP 495901			

Abstract (Basic): WO 9106055 A

The system has different types of repertoires, each having several cells in groups connected by synapses. Sensory repertoires respond to different types of sensory inputs. Value repertoires respond differentially to changes in the environment and are connected to the sensory repertoires. Motor repertoires control the specific motor outputs. Processing repertoires connected to one or more sensory, value and motor repertoires, form mappings to categorise objects that are input to the system.

Reentrant signalling between neural mappings allows for

modification of synaptic efficiencies to alter the contributions of selected neuronal groups, providing integrated sensory and motor behaviour.

USE/ADVANTAGE - In neural network simulation. Capable of learning. Establishes categories of objects and sorts objects according to determined categories.

Dwg.1/24

Title Terms: NEURON; GROUP; SELECT; SENSE; CATEGORY; OBJECT; SORT; OBJECT; ACCORD; CATEGORY; CONTROL; ROBOT ; EFFECTOR; MECHANISM

Derwent Class: P62; T01; T02

International Patent Class (Main): G05B-011/04; G06F-015/00 ; G06F-015/18 ; G06T-001/40

International Patent Class (Additional): B25J-009/16; G06G-007/60; G06K-009/152; G07C-009/158

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

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AUTOMATICALLY INDEXING ROBOT SYSTEM AND PROCESSING METHOD USING THE SYSTEM

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PUBLISHED: March 22, 2002 (20020322)  
INVENTOR(s): NIN MOHYUKU  
APPLICANT(s): ENJIERU KK  
APPL. NO.: 2001-206836 [JP 2001206836]  
FILED: July 06, 2001 (20010706)  
PRIORITY: 00 200039749 [KR 200039749], KR (Korea) Republic of, July 11, 2000 (20000711)  
INTL CLASS: G06F-017/30 ; G06F-012/00 ; G06T-001/00

#### ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide an automatically indexing **robot** system capable of automatically indexing a **text** type material such as a text or word processor data, an image and a representative screen of video, and each material obtained by developing **graphic** data with an image and to provide a processing method using this system.

SOLUTION: This automatically indexing **robot** system is constituted of a server 10 for storing information such as an XML document, a WPS material, image scan, a moving video material, and photograph picking-up and an index word or an image index and a **robot** PC 20 for retrieving the information stored in the server 10 by using an index word retrieving machine or a character recognizing machine or for extracting vector image data. Then, processing using this automatic indexing **robot** system is performed by successively executing a first process 100 for automatically indexing a **character** resource type with the material stored in the server 10, a second process 20 for automatically indexing the scanned origin image with the material stored in the server 10, and a third process 300 for automatically indexing the photographic image with the material stored in the server 10.

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S1	135	READ()ONCE
S2	2462167	SORT OR SORTS OR SORTED OR SORTING OR ARRANG? OR REARRANG? OR ORDER OR REORDER?
S3	3019509	TEXT? OR RECORD? OR KEYWORD? OR TERM OR TERMS OR WORD? OR - STRING? OR CHARACTER?
S4	1140573	AUTOMATON? OR AGENT? OR IA OR SOFTBOT? OR BOT OR BOTS OR R- OBOT?
S5	285228	KEY OR KEYS OR ASCEND? OR DESCEND?
S6	1112583	TUPLE? OR TABLE? OR ROW OR COLUMN? OR GRAPH? OR ROWS OR MA- TRIX? OR MATRICES
S7	2075891	VALUE? OR WEIGHT? OR SCORE? OR HIERARCH? OR MULTILEVEL?
S8	11565	S2 AND S3 AND S4
S9	2956	(S5 OR S6 OR S7) AND S8
S10	0	S1 AND S8
S11	1086	S8 AND S6
S12	259	S11 AND S7
S13	23	S11 AND S5
S14	20	S1 AND S2
S15	13	S14 AND (S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7)
S16	5005	S2(3N)S4
S17	12	S12 AND S16
S18	54	S17 OR S15 OR S14 OR S13
S19	16	S18 AND IC=G06F?
S20	3	S12 AND IC=G06F-007?
S21	3603	S2(2N)S4
S22	0	S5 AND S6 AND S21
S23	591	S21 AND S3
S24	52	S23 AND (S5 OR S6)
S25	10	S24 AND IC=G06F?
S26	24	S25 OR S19 OR S20
S27	24	IDPAT (sorted in duplicate/non-duplicate order)
S28	22	IDPAT (primary/non-duplicate records only)

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Sorting method for XML document data records uses automaton to read records once only and orders records by scanning automaton  
Patent Assignee: FUJITSU LTD (FUIT )  
Inventor: ABE F; HARA Y; MATSUURA M; NAGATA M; TABATA Y  
Number of Countries: 029 Number of Patents: 004  
Patent Family:  
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EP 1280050 A2 20030129 EP 2002251763 A 20020313 200318 B  
US 20030033278 A1 20030213 US 200286696 A 20020304 200319  
JP 2003044267 A 20030214 JP 2001227587 A 20010727 200322  
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US 20030033278 A1 G06F-007/00  
JP 2003044267 A 14 G06F-007/24  
KR 2003011220 A G06F-007/08

Abstract (Basic): EP 1280050 A2

NOVELTY - An automaton is generated (S111) which accepts a sort key of each data record and associates the record's final transition state with a record identifier, and an order value tuple which is a set of an order value of the records is generated (S115) by scanning the automaton with a corresponding record identifier.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An automaton is a set of state transition tables linked in a tree structure having hierarchical levels for characters of the key character string

INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for ;  
1. A data sort apparatus.  
2. A data sort program.  
3. Stored software.

USE - For sorting XML document data.

ADVANTAGE - The data records are read only once, reducing the sorting time.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - Automaton generation (S111)

Order value tuple generation (S115)

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Title Terms: SORT ; METHOD; DOCUMENT; DATA; RECORD ; AUTOMATIC; READ; RECORD ; ORDER ; RECORD ; SCAN; AUTOMATIC

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-007/00 ; G06F-007/08 ; G06F-007/24

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-017/30

File Segment: EPI

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XRPX Acc No: N02-514502

Group management program extracts agents free for providing service, based on subtraction of members of waiting-call queue table from agents of agent attribute table  
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Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
JP 2002230252	A	20020816	JP 200124772	A	20010131	200270 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 200124772 A 20010131

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
JP 2002230252	A	9		G06F-017/60	

Abstract (Basic): JP 2002230252 A

NOVELTY - The group management program stores instructions for managing a waiting-call queue **table** (9) and an agent attribute **table** (10), respectively. The number of members registered into the waiting-call queue **table** who are waiting for service are subtracted from the number of free agents registered into the agent attribute **table** for providing service, and the remaining free agents are extracted.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:

- (1) Group management method;
- (2) Group management device; and
- (3) Recording medium storing group management program.

USE - Group management program.

ADVANTAGE - The **agents** can be **rearranged** dynamically and automatically in real-time for providing service.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the system block diagram of the group management program. (Drawing includes non-English language **text** ).

Waiting-call queue **table** (9)

Agent attribute **table** (10)

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Title Terms: GROUP; MANAGEMENT; PROGRAM; EXTRACT; AGENT; FREE; SERVICE; BASED; SUBTRACT; MEMBER; WAIT; CALL; QUEUE; TABLE ; AGENT; AGENT; ATTRIBUTE; TABLE

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-017/60

File Segment: EPI

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DATA PROCESSING METHOD

PUB. NO.: 10-283343 [JP 10283343 A]  
PUBLISHED: October 23, 1998 (19981023)  
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APPL. NO.: 09-083754 [JP 9783754]  
FILED: April 02, 1997 (19970402)  
INTL CLASS: [6] G06F-017/14 ; H03M-007/30; H04N-001/41; H04N-007/30  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications); 29.4  
(PRECISION INSTRUMENTS -- Business Machines); 42.4  
(ELECTRONICS -- Basic Circuits); 44.6 (COMMUNICATION --  
Television)

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To read plural intermediate results being the results of the first one-dimensional DCT(discrete cosine transformation) in a batch at the time of discomposing second-dimensional DCT into one-dimensional DCT in two stages.

SOLUTION: The value of a picture element in an (x) line and (y) column among original picture data obtained by a pre-processing are defined as  $f(x, y)$ , and an intermediate result  $\phi(x, v)$  obtained by introducing a variable (v) instead of the variable (y) is arranged in a column direction in a new matrix  $M_1$  instead of being re-arranged in the matrix in which the value  $f(x, y)$  of the picture element is arranged. Thus, the intermediate  $\phi(x, v)$  can be read in the line direction at the time of the second one-dimensional DCT. That is, the intermediate results can be continuously read, and when bit width to be processed by hardware or software which operates DCT is sufficiently large, they can be read once. Moreover, when  $(u)=(v)$  ( $u$  is a variable to be introduced instead of the variable (x) in the  $f(x, y)$ ), necessary data are present in the same line through matrixes  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  so that they can be continuously read.

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BOOK ORDERING SYSTEM

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INVENTOR(s): AKITA TORU  
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JP (Japan)  
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INTL CLASS: [5] G07G-001/12; G06F-015/24  
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JAPIO KEYWORD: R098 (ELECTRONIC MATERIALS -- Charge Transfer Elements, CCD &  
BBD); R107 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- OCR & OMR Optical  
Readers); R139 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Word Processors)  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1525, Vol. 17, No. 207, Pg. 21, April  
22, 1993 (19930422)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To improve service and to automate office work by permitting a bookstore to send order information regardless of the presence or absence of a slip when a book is ordered, allowing an agency to search the book even when the order information is uncertain and to answer the delivery date of the book on the spot.

CONSTITUTION: A terminal equipment converting the order information into a **character** code is arranged on the bookstore, and a book database, including the stored goods amount for each book and a computer equipped with a retrieval means are **arranged** on the **agent**. When the **character** code is inputted from the bookstore, the agent checks the amount of the stored goods and answers the delivery date on the spot. When the order information at the bookstore is uncertain, the book is retrieved by the book database by taking partial information as a **key**. When the book can not be found, the order is not received.

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PLURAL INDEXES GENERATING SYSTEM

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#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To generate plural indexes at high speed by reading a data **record** from a data file one by one and generating indexes.

CONSTITUTION: A reading means 2 reads a data **record** from a data file 1 one by one. A **sorting recording** generating means 3 extracts plural fields from the data **record**, adds a field identifier and an address on the data file to the **value** of respective fields, generates the **sorting recording** and accommodates it into a memory means 7. A **sorting** means 6 rearranges the **sorting recording** in the memory means 7 with the **value** of the field identifier and the field as the **key** in accordance with the field attribute information in a memory means 5. Next, an index generating means 8 generates the index from the **sorting recording** after **sorting**. Thus, since the data file is **read once**, plural indexes can be generated at high speed.

Set	Items	Description
S1	636	READ()ONCE
S2	1264476	SORT OR SORTS OR SORTED OR SORTING OR ARRANG? OR REARRANG? OR ORDER OR REORDER?
S3	393450	ALPHABETIS? OR ALPHABETIC? OR ALPHABETIZ? OR GROUPING OR R- EGROUPING OR GROUPS OR GROUPED OR INDEXING OR INDEXED
S4	1412360	TEXT? OR RECORD? OR KEYWORD? OR TERM OR TERMS OR WORD? OR - STRING? OR CHARACTER?
S5	527484	AUTOMATON? OR AGENT? OR IA OR SOFTBOT? OR BOT OR BOTS OR R- OBOT?
S6	221777	KEY OR KEYS OR ASCEND? OR DESCEND?
S7	875004	TUPLE? OR TABLE? OR ROW OR COLUMN? OR GRAPH? OR ROWS OR MA- TRIX? OR MATRICES
S8	952044	VALUE? OR WEIGHT? OR SCORE? OR HIERARCH? OR MULTILEVEL?
S9	12	S1(10N)(S2 OR S3)(10N)S4
S10	4017	(S2 OR S3)(4N)S4(10N)S5
S11	681	S10(S)S8
S12	87	S11(S)(S6 OR S7)
S13	282	S10(10N)S8
S14	360	S9 OR S12 OR S13
S15	1	S14 AND IC=G06F-007?
S16	33	S14 AND IC=G06F?
S17	4	S1(5N)(S2 OR S3)(5N)S4
S18	36	S16 OR S17
S19	36	IDPAT (sorted in duplicate/non-duplicate order)
S20	35	IDPAT (primary/non-duplicate records only)

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Data sort method, data sort apparatus, and data sort program

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Methode de triage de donnees, appareil de triage de donnees, et programme de triage de donnees

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...SPECIFICATION an embodiment of an aspect of the present invention, a data sort method of ordering records in an ascending or descending order by specified sort key item is provided, which method is configured by: an automaton generating step of generating an automaton which accepts a character string of a sort key item of each record, and associates its final transition state with a corresponding record identifier; and an order value tuple generating step of generating an order value tuple which is a set of an order value of the records ordered in ascending or descending order by scanning the automaton with a corresponding record identifier.

Reference will now be made, by way of example, to the accompanying drawings, in...

...As shown in FIG. 1, an embodiment of the present invention is realized by: an automaton generating step (step S111) of generating an automaton which accepts a character string of a sort key item of each record, and associates its final transition state with a corresponding record identifier; and an order value tuple generating step (step S115) of generating an order value tuple which is a set of an order value of the records ordered in ascending or descending

order by scanning the **automaton** with a corresponding **record** identifier.

That is, in the case of the data **sort** apparatus configured as shown in FIG. 2, after performing the pre-process of applying a specified **key** condition **kc** to input data **d**, an automaton generating unit 3 obtains a record identifier...

...identification of an input record from a record identifier setting unit 1, and obtains a **key** character string **k-str** corresponding to the **value** of the specified **key** in the record from a **key** data pre-processing unit 2 in step S111.

The automaton generating unit 3 generates an automaton **am** for reception of the key **character string** **k-str** for all **records** to be processed in the **sorting** operations. An **automaton** **am** is a set of state transition **tables** having **hierarchical** levels for **characters** (maximum number of digits for variable length) of the **key** character string **k-str**, and the **tables** are linked to one another, and form a tree structure with the initial state transition **table** (00) as a root as shown in FIG. 2.

In the present embodiment, the automaton unit 4 scans the data from the root of the tree structure of the **automaton** **am** in the **order** of states by depth in step S115, and obtains the **record** identifier **rid** recorded in the state transition **table** obtained in the scanning process. At this time, the **order** **value** **jval** is associated with the record identifier **rid** in the scanning order. Thus, the **order** **value** **tuple** generation unit 41 can generate an **order** **value** **tuple** **j-tpl** which is a set of an **order** **value** **jval** and the corresponding record identifier **rid**. In addition, when a data sort is completed for all records, the process of the **order** **value** **tuple** generating step in step S115 is performed, and the sort order sort **table** **s-st** in which all **order** **value** **tuples** **j-tpl** are arranged by **order** **value** **jval** in **ascending** or **descending** order is generated. If there are a plurality of sort **key** items specified by a **key** condition **kc**, then, for example, **K** automats **am** are generated for each sort **key** item when the first, second, ..., and **K**-th priority **key** are set. In this case, each time one record is read, the automaton generating step...

...is looped **K** times, and the **K** automats **am** are updated and developed. After all **records** have been read, the **sort** **table** generating step in step S115 are also looped **K** times, the **K** automats **am** are sequentially scanned; and a **record** **order** **sort** **table** **r-st** in which **record** identifiers **rid** are arranged in **ascending** or **descending** order is generated.

In the generated record **order** **sort** **table** **r-st**, a plurality of... priority **key** **order** **value** **jval** (**K**) are obtained for each record. Regarding the plural **order** **value** **tuples** **j-tpl** as a **character string**, that is, a plural **order** **value** **key** **character string**, the **automaton** generating unit 3 is provided with a plural **order** **value** **key** **character string** for each **tuple** in the **record** **order** **sort** **table** **r-st**, an **automaton** which receives them is generated (by applying step S111), and the **automaton** is provided to a sort **table** generating unit 4 for a scanning process (by applying step S115). Then, a general **order** **value** **tuple**, which is a set of a general **order** **value** newly assigned in a general **order** for the plurality of sort **keys** and the corresponding record identifiers, is generated. Therefore, in the above mentioned case, the process in step S115 corresponds to a general **order** **value** **tuple** generating step. From the obtained general **order** **value** **tuple**, a general sort **order** **sort** **table** **s-st** is obtained, thereby completing a data sort for a plurality of sort **keys**. Since a desired sort **order** **value** can be obtained by reading all records only once, the speed at which the process...

...CLAIMS A2

1. A data sort method of **rearranging** **records** according to a specified **sort** **key** item in an **ascending/descending** **order**, comprising:  
an **automaton** generating step of generating an **automaton** for receiving a **character string** of a **sort** **key** item of each **record**, and for associating a **record** identifier with a final transition

state; and  
an order **value tuple** generating step of generating an order **value tuple** which is a set of a **record identifier** of the **record** and an order **value** which is obtained by **arranging** the **records** in an ascending/descending **order** by scanning the **automaton** .

2. The data **sort** method according to claim 1, wherein

there are a plurality of **sort key** items, and said order **value tuple** is a set of a plurality of order **values** and a record **identifier**.

3. The data **sort** method according to claim 1 or 2...

...items, and a record order **sort table** is generated based on a plurality of order **value tuples** which is a set of a plurality of order **values** and a record **identifier**, and further comprising:

an **automaton** generating step of generating an **automaton** for assuming that a **row** of a plurality of order **values** of the **record order sort table** is a **character string** belonging to the **record identifier**, and receiving the **character string** as a plural order **value key character string** for all tuples on the **record order sort table**; and

a general order **value tuple** generating step of scanning the **automaton**, and generating a general order **value tuple** which is a set of the **record identifier** and a newly ordered general order **value** as a general order for the plurality of sort **keys** .

7. The data **sort** method according any preceding claim, further comprising:

a **record identifier setting**...

...a **sort method** for each specified sort **key item**.

9. A data **sort apparatus** which **rearranges records** according to a specified sort **key item** in an ascending/descending **order** , comprising:

an **automaton** generating means (3) for generating an **automaton** for receiving a **character string** of a **sort key item** of each **record** , and for associating a **record identifier** with a final transition state; and  
order **value tuple** generating means (41) for generating an order **value tuple** which is a set of a **record identifier** of the **record** and an order **value** which is obtained by **arranging** the **records** in an ascending / descending **order** by scanning the **automaton** .

10. A data **sort program** for directing a computer to perform a data sorting process of **rearranging records** according to a specified sort **key item** in an **ascending / descending order** , comprising:

an **automaton** generating step of generating an **automaton** for receiving a **character string** of a **sort key item** of each **record** , and for associating a **record identifier** with a final transition state; and

an order **value tuple** generating step of generating an order **value tuple** which is a set of a **record identifier** of the **record** and an order **value** which is obtained by **arranging** the **records** in an ascending / descending **order** by scanning the **automaton** .

11. A computer program which, when run on a computer, causes that computer to carry...

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BUS ARBITRATION WITH WEIGHTED BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION  
BUSARBITRIERUNGSVERFAHREN UND -VORRICHTUNG MIT GEWICHTETER  
BANDBREITENZUTEILUNG

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...CLAIMS wherein the arbiter decides which of the agents will be granted control based upon relative **weights** assigned to respective ones of the **agents**, **characterized** in that the arbiter **groups** the **agents** in levels, and an **agent** winning arbitration among the **agents** at a **k**th) level contending for arbitration at a higher **k-1**th) level.

2. An...

...wherein it is decided which of the agents will be granted control based upon relative **weights** assigned to respective ones of the **agents**, **characterized** in that, the **agents** are **grouped** in levels, and an **agent** winning arbitration among the **agents** at a **k**th) level contending for arbitration at a higher **k-1**th) level.

7. A...

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Database management system with improved indexed accessing  
Datenbankverwaltungssystem mit verbessertem Indexzugriff  
Système de gestion de base de données à accès indexé amélioré  
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...SPECIFICATION from the required tables.

In the process of constructing the GEM-tree, the DBMS Executor sorts and collapses values from different disjuncts in a column together so that individual records are only read once. This results in a significant saving in the cost of executing a search plan, since...in Appendix B.

In the process of constructing the GEM-tree, the SQL Executor 124 sorts and collapses values from different disjuncts in a column together so that individual records are only read once. This is a significant saving in the cost of executing a search plan, since all...

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Non-literal textual search using fuzzy finite non-deterministic automata  
Nicht wortgetreue Textauffindung mit vagen, nicht-deterministischen,  
endlichen Zustandsautomaten  
Recherche de texte non-litterale avec des automates vagues  
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...SPECIFICATION providing an alternate route, one which has a weight  
smaller than the sum of the weights for an extra character and for a  
missing character, may be applied to any and all pairs of successive  
paths in a fuzzy automaton in order to assign a special penalty for  
exchanged adjacent characters.

Target words containing hyphens or ambiguous spaces. It is often the  
case that OCR errors occur in...

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METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR PROCESSING STRUCTURED DATA  
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... of the preceding operation is transmitted as input to the next  
elementary operation.

9 An arrangement for creating an automaton for processing a data  
source  
containing identifiable hierarchical structural elements,  
characterized in that the  
arrangement includes  
- means for creating an initial state (101, 201) to serve as the root of  
...elementary operations,  
- means for storing the new state in the data structure (21).

10 An arrangement according to claim 9, characterized in that said  
arrangement includes means for defining in the automaton the states  
that are hierarchically located above the new state (102, 202). 1 1. An  
arrangement according to claim 9, characterized in that the  
arrangement includes means for defining the created new state (102, 202)  
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... for transforming data from the binned display format of the invention  
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specifically, Figure I 1A depicts exemplary binned **table** employing a  
multi-level gray scale according to an illustrative embodiment of the  
attribute reduction aspect of the invention. Figure I 1B depicts the  
**table** of Figure 1 1A tracking an example **record** 20 subsequent to  
independently **sorting** on variable 1 according to any of the  
illustrative sorting algorithms discussed herein to group each of three  
bin level **values** 1 1 02a- 1 102c of variable 1. Figure I 1C shows the  
**table** of Figure 1 1B tracking example record 20 subsequent to  
independently sorting on variable 2 to 2 5 group each of the five bin  
level **values** 1104a-1 104c of variable 2. Figure I 1D  
shows the **table** of Figure I 1C tracking example ...subsequent to  
independently sorting on variable 3 to group each of the seven bin level  
**values** 1106a-1 106g. Figure I 1E shows the resultant multiple line  
**graph** generated by independently sorting on each of the variables 1- 1 6  
according to the...

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well understood in the art, **graphical** transformations of the type  
illustrated in Figures 1 1A-1 1D are believed to be

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PERSONAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE FOR SCHEDULING PRESENTATION OF DIGITAL CONTENT

PROCEDE ET APPAREIL DE PLANIFICATION DE LA PRESENTATION D'UN CONTENU NUMERIQUE SUR UN DISPOSITIF DE COMMUNICATION PERSONNEL

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Claims

Claim

... or permission for information to be delivered later either in context or not.

2 Creating Value

By delivering information in context, the client device creates a great deal of value for the user by reducing the amount of time that the user spends actively seeking the information that he or she wants. 2.A.

Creating value for users: Delivering information in context creates a great deal of value for users by reducing the amount of time that users spends actively seeking the information...

...g., driving direction from current location). 2.A Rich media experience: Dynamic, animated full-color graphics . 2.B. Creating value for developers: The following features of the present invention create value for developers:

2 1. Higher level development environment (through scripting of MM

Flash);  
2 2...

...2 3. Best environment to create low-bandwidth, rich media, high interaction. 2.C. Creating **value** for wireless operators: The following features of the present invention create **value** for wireless operator:  
2.C 3G experience on a 2.5G packet network  
2.C Lets operators be more than a data pipe content. 2.D. Creating **value** for device manufacturers: The following features of the present invention create **value** for device manufacturers:  
2.D Wireless, rich media reference design. 2.D Hooks to recurring...

...revenues (if any) can be apportioned to each as they are due. 2.E. Creating **value** for merchants: The following features of the present invention create **value** for merchants:  
2.E Rich media. 2.E Contextual analysis of data. 2.E Aggregated...network may require that members, including users and merchants, enter or select category designations or **key words** in **order** to allow **sorting** and analysis of the message. Alternatively, a software **agent** could be established which parses the content of the message and infers its content. This...

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SEARCH ENGINE FOR SPATIAL DATA INDEXING  
MOTEUR DE RECHERCHE SUR L'INTERNET

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... presently do not index Internet content by traversing the hyperlinks  
in the manner of web indexing robots .

Present SRS only reviews the results obtained by the web indexing  
robots . Specifically, SRS seek occurrences of addresses in the data  
records . SRS also qualifies indexed data and will score the  
confidence that the content is about the address in the database and is  
not...

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PARALLEL DATA ACCESS PROCEDURE FOR B-TREE STRUCTURES  
PROCEDURE D'ACCES A DES DONNES EN PARALLELE POUR STRUCTURES A ARBRE BALANCE  
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... sequential access of D4DEX-DEPTH index blocks in ascenden order. Accessing index blocks and index records in  
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descending order is easily achieved by altering the direction of the positioning of the index record pointers. For cases where READ - ONCE is true, traversing the extracted INDEX-DEPTH index blocks and records in both directions are...

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING JOINS AND SELF-JOINS IN A DATABASE SYSTEM  
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE PERMETTANT D'EFFECTUER DES REUNIONS ET DES REUNIONS  
AUTOMATIQUES DANS UN SYSTEME DE BASE DE DONNEES

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... technique works for relational databases and other types of database  
which support some type of record indexing system. The technique also  
allows an input table to be only read once when performing a  
self-join on two columns in the same table.

One system platform...

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PERFORMING EFFICIENT JOIN OPERATIONS ON LARGE TABLES  
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE PERMETTANT DE REALISER UNE OPERATION D'ASSOCIATION

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Detailed Description

... 701, the R,

RIDs for each partition will also be in numerical  
order. Therefore, the **records** can be read in  
sequential **order** without any further **sorting**. If a RID  
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is repeated in a particular buffer, the **record** will  
only be **read** once from the first input table 701 and a  
duplicate record will be stored in the...

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S3	1649439	ALPHABETIS? OR ALPHABETIC? OR ALPHABETIZ? OR GROUPING OR R- EGROUPING OR GROUPS OR GROUPED OR INDEXING OR INDEXED
S4	10036628	TEXT? OR RECORD? OR KEYWORD? OR TERM OR TERMS OR WORD? OR - STRING? OR CHARACTER?
S5	1873631	AUTOMATON? OR AGENT? OR IA OR SOFTBOT? OR BOT OR BOTS OR R- OBOT?
S6	849181	KEY OR KEYS OR ASCEND? OR DESCEND?
S7	3934778	TUPLE? OR TABLE? OR ROW OR COLUMN? OR GRAPH? OR ROWS OR MA- TRIX? OR MATRICES
S8	5282121	VALUE? OR WEIGHT? OR SCORE? OR HIERARCH? OR MULTILEVEL?
S9	58	S1 AND (S2 OR S3) AND S4
S10	48728	(S2 OR S3) AND S4 AND S5
S11	10934	S10 AND S8
S12	1042	S11 AND S7
S13	1042	S12 AND S8
S14	132660	(S2 OR S3) (3N)S4
S15	4396	S14(10N)S8
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**Title: Duality between prefetching and queued writing with parallel disks**

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Abstract: Parallel disks promise to be a cost effective means for achieving high bandwidth in applications involving massive data sets, but algorithms for parallel disks can be difficult to devise. To combat this problem, we define a useful and natural duality between writing to parallel disks and the seemingly more difficult problem of prefetching. We first explore this duality for applications involving **read - once** accesses using parallel disks. We get a simple linear time algorithm for computing optimal prefetch schedules and analyze the efficiency of the resulting schedules for randomly placed data and for arbitrary interleaved accesses to striped sequences. Duality also provides an optimal schedule for the integrated caching and prefetching problem, in which blocks can be accessed multiple times. Another application of this duality gives us the first parallel disk **sorting** algorithms that are provably optimal up to lower **order terms**. One of these algorithms is a simple and practical variant of multiway merge **sort**, addressing a question that has been open for some time. (19 Refs)

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Identifiers: parallel disks; cost effective; high bandwidth; massive data sets; scheduling; prefetching; **read - once** accesses; linear time algorithm; striped sequences; caching; **sorting** algorithms; multiway merge **sort**

Class Codes: C6120 (File organisation); C4240P (Parallel programming and algorithm theory); C6150N (Distributed systems software)

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Abstract: Effects of case marking and word order on syntactic parsing in Finnish were examined by registering readers' eye fixation patterns while they read single sentences for comprehension. Target nouns appearing towards the beginning of the sentence took one of three grammatical roles: subject, object, or adverbial. The subject phrase in the sentence-initial position is the canonical order in Finnish, but the two other word orders are less frequent. In one experimental condition, the grammatical role of the target noun was signalled by a case inflection attached to the preceding adjective modifier; in the second condition this was not the case. The results showed a facilitation effect in sentence parsing due to case marking. Similarly, there was an effect of word order, where the canonical SVO order was associated with greater processing ease than were non-canonical word orders. The two factors interacted so that there was no effect of case marking for the SVO order, but a significant case marking effect for the two marked word orders. The same pattern of results showed up as both immediate and delayed effects. The results speak against the notion of head licensing proposed by Abney (1989) and Prichett (1991).

Identifiers--KeyWord Plus(R): SYNTACTIC AMBIGUITY RESOLUTION; RELATIVE CLAUSES; DUTCH; HUNGARIAN

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S4	1	S3(5N) (AUTOMATON? OR AGENT? OR IA OR SOFTBOT? OR BOT OR BO- TS OR ROBOT?)
S5	3111	KEY OR KEYS OR ASCEND? OR DESCEND?
S6	10256	TUPLE? OR TABLE? OR ROW OR COLUMN? OR GRAPH? OR ROWS OR MA- TRIX? OR MATRICES
S7	39	S5(5N) (VALUE? OR WEIGHT? OR SCORE? OR HIERARCH? OR MULTILE- VEL?)
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S9	0	S3 AND S7
S10	6	S3 AND S5 AND S6
S11	7	S4 OR S10
S12	6	S11 NOT PY>2001
S13	6	S12 NOT PD>20010727

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S5	5450	AU=(HARA Y? OR HARA, Y?)
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Full text search system e.g. for computer network search server, which uses a character string collation method to search a large quantity of data

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KR 2003009079 A G06F-017/30

Abstract (Basic): EP 1278133 A2

NOVELTY - The system comprises of a search integration unit (2) which divides search-target character string data (1) into a group of character string records, allocates the divided records to one or more search processing apparatuses (4), transmits given character string search conditions to each search processing apparatus, and receives and integrates search results.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- (a) full text search program;
- (b) computer readable storage medium;
- (c) search integration server;
- (d) full text search method

USE - For computer network search server.

ADVANTAGE - Makes it easy to operate a search system to searches a large quantity of data, and makes it possible for a user to search up-to-date data which is updated moment by moment. As a result, quality improvement and reliability improvement of search data can be expected. Moreover, it improves the search speed by searching a large quantity of data using a number of search processing apparatuses at the same time. It is possible to change the allocation of search target data which is shared by each search processing apparatus for a short time so that even if a defect occurs in any of the search processing apparatuses, it is possible to operate the system without interrupting the search processing using a reduced number of the search processing apparatuses, thus causing reliability improvement and working-ratio improvement of the system.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The diagram show a system to which the present invention is applied

- search target (1)
- search integration unit (2)

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Title Terms: FULL; TEXT; SEARCH; SYSTEM; COMPUTER; NETWORK; SEARCH; SERVE;

CHARACTER; STRING; COLLATE; METHOD; SEARCH; QUANTITY; DATA

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-007/00 ; G06F-017/30

File Segment: EPI

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XRPX Acc No: N03-139693

Sorting method for XML document data records uses automaton to read records once only and orders records by scanning automaton

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Number of Countries: 029 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

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EP 1280050	A2	20030129	EP 2002251763	A	20020313	200318 B
US 20030033278	A1	20030213	US 200286696	A	20020304	200319
JP 2003044267	A	20030214	JP 2001227587	A	20010727	200322
KR 2003011220	A	20030207	KR 200213994	A	20020315	200339

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 2001227587 A 20010727

Patent Details:

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Designated States (Regional): AL AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT  
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KR 2003011220	A	G06F-007/08
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Abstract (Basic): EP 1280050 A2

NOVELTY - An automaton is generated (S111) which accepts a sort key of each data record and associates the record's final transition state with a record identifier, and an order value tuple which is a set of an order value of the records is generated (S115) by scanning the automaton with a corresponding record identifier.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An automaton is a set of state transition tables linked in a tree structure having hierarchical levels for characters of the key character string

INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for ;

1. A data sort apparatus.
2. A data sort program.
3. Stored software.

USE - For sorting XML document data.

ADVANTAGE - The data records are read only once, reducing the sorting time.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - Automaton generation (S111)

Order value tuple generation (S115)

pp; 19 DwgNo 1/9

Title Terms: SORT ; METHOD; DOCUMENT; DATA; RECORD; AUTOMATIC; READ; RECORD; ORDER; RECORD; SCAN; AUTOMATIC

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-007/00 ; G06F-007/08 ; G06F-007/24

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-017/30

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WPI Acc No: 2002-642640/200269  
XRPX Acc No: N02-507971

Pattern retrieval method involves extracting retrieval result matching received retrieval condition by searching a database according to retrieval request expression variable table

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Inventor: ABE F ; HARA Y ; MATSUURA M ; NAGATA M  
Number of Countries: 030 Number of Patents: 005

Patent Family:

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US 20020099698	A1	20020725	US 2001998225	A	20011203	200269 B
CA 2364886	A1	20020725	CA 2364886	A	20011207	200269
EP 1227412	A2	20020731	EP 2001310381	A	20011212	200269
JP 2002222194	A	20020809	JP 200116576	A	20010125	200269
KR 2002062803	A	20020731	KR 200178503	A	20011212	200308

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 200116576 A 20010125

Patent Details:

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US 20020099698	A1	45		G06F-007/00	
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KR 2002062803	A			G06K-009/00	
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Abstract (Basic): US 20020099698 A1

NOVELTY - A retrieval condition and terminal device information received from user terminals are stored in a buffer. Upon determining that a preceding retrieving process is not being performed, a retrieval pattern variable table and a retrieval request expression variable are generated. A retrieval result matching with the received retrieval condition is extracted by searching a required data from a database using the expression variable table and transmitted to the user terminals

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:

- (1) Pattern retrieval apparatus;
- (2) Computer-readable storage medium storing pattern retrieval program;
- (3) Pattern retrieval system; and
- (4) Pattern retrieval program.

USE - For use with a pattern retrieval apparatus connected to multiple devices through a network, single device, a system such as LAN, WAN, etc.

ADVANTAGE - When a large number of retrieval requests are received in time series within a short time, all retrieval requests are processed in a time shorter than the value obtained by multiplying the time required for individually processing one retrieval request by the number of retrieval requests. The software is considerably small, and an index file need not be maintained, thereby realizing an operable pattern retrieval system.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a state transition method used in the pattern retrieval method.

pp; 45 DwgNo 3/32

Title Terms: PATTERN; RETRIEVAL; METHOD; EXTRACT; RETRIEVAL; RESULT; MATCH; RECEIVE; RETRIEVAL; CONDITION; SEARCH; DATABASE; ACCORD; RETRIEVAL; REQUEST; EXPRESS; VARIABLE; TABLE

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-007/00 ; G06F-017/30; G06K-009/00

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-017/20

File Segment: EPI

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02920023 \*\*Image available\*\*  
AUTOMATIC KEY WORD GENERATING DEVICE

PUB. NO.: 01-217623 [JP 1217623 A]  
PUBLISHED: August 31, 1989 (19890831)  
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                  Company or Corporation), JP (Japan)  
APPL. NO.: 63-045162 [JP 8845162]  
FILED: February 26, 1988 (19880226)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
                  45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units)  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 966, Vol. 13, No. 530, Pg. 122,  
                  November 27, 1989 (19891127)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To realize the generation of key words with emergence of a compound word, a derivative, an abbreviation, a synonym, a relative word, etc., of a word in a key word dictionary by performing the collation for partial coincidence between the words of the key word dictionary and an object sentence.

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INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

PUB. NO.: 01-021625 [JP 1021625 A]  
PUBLISHED: January 25, 1989 (19890125)  
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APPLICANT(s): NEC CORP [000423] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP  
(Japan)  
APPL. NO.: 62-178221 [JP 87178221]  
FILED: July 17, 1987 (19870717)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units)  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 869, Vol. 13, No. 200, Pg. 136, May  
12, 1989 (19890512)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To make the edit and revision of a document efficient and simple by providing an input/output means talking an interface, a layer management means managing the document as a layer, a means storing the information of each layer and a control means controlling it.

CONSTITUTION: An input/output means 1 applies a language input interface such as a command and output of a document. A layer management means 2 manages information where a key such as a classification item or a key word corresponds to what kind of document or information where a sentence relates which key and groups sets of items in a layer so as to make them abstract. A control means 3 references the information of the layer management means 2 based on the request inputted from the input/output means 1, quotes the information stored in storage means 4-5 of the relevant layer and sends output information to the input/output means 1. Thus, the information is managed unifiedly.

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MULTI-DIMENSIONAL PROCESSING SYSTEM

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APPL. NO.: 61-307415 [JP 86307415]  
FILED: December 22, 1986 (19861222)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units)  
JAPIO KEYWORD: R139 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Word Processors)  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 783, Vol. 12, No. 422, Pg. 119,  
November 09, 1988 (19881109)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To easily **rearrange** and retrieve the groups of documents according to purposes of application by **arranging** the electronized documents by means of a multi-dimensional **sorting** method.

CONSTITUTION: If a multi-dimensional **sorting** method is previously applied to the retrieved documents, a control means 7 uses a specific **sorting** axis obtained by a **sorting** axis selecting means 4 to extract the **arranged** headers of the corresponding **sorted** item names via a header production/ **arrangement** means 5 and to display them on a display means 6 together with the relevant document. For instance the documents are **arranged** by a multi-dimensional **sorting** method like (a), (b) and (c) and a function of (a) is selected as a **sorting** axis. Thus the groups of documents are **arranged** along a **sorting** axis like (d) and displayed. In such a way, the documents are directly and easily **arranged** in many phases by means of said multi-dimensional **sorting** method. At the same time, the groups of documents can be easily retrieved and analyzed in response to each purpose of application.

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HIERARCHICAL PROSING SYSTEM

PUB. NO.: 63-157228 [JP 63157228 A]  
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APPL. NO.: 61-307414 [JP 86307414]  
FILED: December 22, 1986 (19861222)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units).  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 783, Vol. 12, No. 422, Pg. 119,  
November 09, 1988 (19881109)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To effectively prose a document which is categorized in **terms** of meaning by using the headers fractionized properly in accordance with the designated retrieving conditions together with a normal sequential page prosing mechanism.

CONSTITUTION: If a retrieved document is previously categorized into hierarchies, the **arranged** headers showing the corresponding category item names are displayed on a display means together with said document by a header production/ **arrangement** means 5. For instance, a document is **arranged** by the hierarchical categorization like (a) and 'NIHON' is designated as the retrieving conditions. Under such conditions, the document is **arranged** at a level lower than 'NIHON' by a stage, i.e., 'TOKYO', 'OSAKA' and so on for display of headers. Then a cursor is shifted on these headers and a mouse button is pushed. Thus a control means 7 decides that the headers are turned over and proses the corresponding document.

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02393332 \*\*Image available\*\*  
6-TOP INDEX RETRIEVING DEVICE

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INVENTOR(s): HARA YOSHINORI  
APPLICANT(s): NEC CORP [000423] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP  
(Japan)  
APPL. NO.: 61-154385 [JP 86154385]  
FILED: June 30, 1986 (19860630)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28 ; G06F-015/20  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units); 45.4  
(INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)  
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 718, Vol. 12, No. 214, Pg. 36, June  
18, 1988 (19880618)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To add the 6-top index function like a filing action of paper documents by producing a 6-top index of an electronic document based on a document structure which arranges the documents received from a sorting structure storing means and displaying said header.

CONSTITUTION: A document structure which arranges the electronic documents is read out of a document structure storing means 3 via a control means that works in response to the working of an input means. A 6-top index production/ arrangement means 4 sorts the electronic documents stored in a document storing means 2 for production of a 6-top index. Then the first document number of said header is stored and the contents of this document number are displayed on a display means 5. Thus the 6-top index function is secured for electronic documents like a filing action of paper documents and the documents are automatically arranged. Thus the retrieval and ruffling of electronic documents are carried out in an easy, quick and sure way.

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6-TOP INDEX RETRIEVING DEVICE

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APPL. NO.: 61-154384 [JP 86154384]  
FILED: June 30, 1986 (19860630)  
INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-007/28 ; G06F-015/20  
JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);  
45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units); 45.4  
(INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)  
JOURNAL: Section P, Section No. 718, Vol. 12, No. 214, Pg. 35, June  
18, 1988 (19880618)

#### ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To add a function equivalent to a 6-top index which is used when the paper documents are filed by **rearranging** the corresponding documents in a prescribed order by a **sorting** means based on a key **word** corresponding to an electronic document for production of the 6-top index and displaying visually this header.

CONSTITUTION: A key **word** corresponding to an electronic document stored in a document storing means 2 is read out of a key **word** storing means 3 via a control means 7 in response to the working of an input means 1. The corresponding documents **sorted** by a **sorting** means 4 are **rearranged** in alphabetical order. Based on these **sorting** results, a 6-top index producing means 5 produces a display-free 6-top index on a display means 6. Then the first document number, etc. of said header are written to the means 4 and the electronic documents are automatically **arranged**. Thus a function equivalent to the 6-top index is secured when the paper documents are filed. Then the documents can be detected quickly and surely through ruffling.

Set	Items	Descripti
S1	2495	AU=(ABE F? OR ABE, F?)
S2	3565	AU=(MATSUURA M? OR MATSUURA, M?)
S3	2405	AU=(TABATA Y? OR TABATA, Y?)
S4	6541	AU=(NAGATA M? OR NAGATA, M?)
S5	7938	AU=(HARA Y? OR HARA, Y?)
S6	0	S1 AND S2 AND S3 AND S4 AND S5
S7	605	(S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5) AND (SORT? OR ARRANG? OR RESO- RT? OR REARRANG? OR SIFT? OR FILTER? OR REORDER?)
S8	148	S7 AND (TERM OR TERMS OR TEXT OR TEXTUAL OR STRING? OR CHA- RACTER? OR WORD OR WORDS OR PHRASE? OR KEYWORD? OR PROSE? OR - PROSING)
S9	59	S8 AND (AUTOMATE? OR INDEX? OR ELECTRONIC? OR DIGITAL?)
S10	5	S8 AND (AUTOMATON? OR BOT OR ROBOT OR BOTS OR ROBOTS OR SO- FTBOT? OR IA OR INTELLIGENT()AGENT?)
S11	60	S9 OR S10
S12	37	RD (unique items)
S13	30	S12 NOT PY>2001
File	2:INSPEC 1969-2004/Sep W3	
		(c) 2004 Institution of Electrical Engineers
File	6:NTIS 1964-2004/Sep W4	
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File	8:Ei Compendex(R) 1970-2004/Sep W3	
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		(c) 2004 The Gale Group
File	674:Computer News Fulltext 1989-2004/Aug W4	
		(c) 2004 IDG Communications
File	647:CMP Computer Fulltext 1988-2004/Sep W3	
		(c) 2004 CMP Media, LLC
File	636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM) 1987-2004/Oct 01	
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01649861 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 92A0612597 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E  
**Structurizing for Large-scale Manual Using Cross References.**  
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(1) NEC Corp., C & C Information Technology Res. Labs.  
Joho Shori Gakkai Kenkyu Hokoku, 1992, VOL.92,NO.54(FI-26), PAGE.9-16,  
FIG.8, TBL.2, REF.7

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ABSTRACT: This paper describes the structurizing method for large-scale  
manuals that consist of the set of the modules and have a reference  
structure. This method is related to the documentation engineering as  
well as the aggregation of hypertext structures. We evaluate the  
characteristics of the algorithm of proposed method. And we refer to  
the relationship between the method and self-organization. (author  
abst.)

DESCRIPTORS: manual; indexing (documentation); knowledge base; clustering;  
module structure; hypertext; parallel processing; algorithm

BROADER DESCRIPTORS: guide book; publications; resource(document);  
information arrangement technique; documentation; information  
management; management; modification; structure; data structure;  
treatment

CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): JA01030X; AC05020L

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00865948 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 89A0185493 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E  
**Automatic indexing system for Japanese text**.  
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(1) NTT Communications and Information Processing Lab., Yokosuka, JPN  
Rev Electr Commun Lab, 1989, VOL.37, NO.1, PAGE.51-56, FIG.6, TBL.2, REF.10  
JOURNAL NUMBER: F0282AAL ISSN NO: 0029-067X CODEN: RELTA  
UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 002.5:025 681.3.02:651.2  
LANGUAGE: English COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
ARTICLE TYPE: Original paper  
MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication  
ABSTRACT: A new method for automatic **indexing** is proposed. The free **term** method, adopted by all existing automatic **indexing** systems, extracts many extraneous **keywords**. The proposed method uses linguistic, knowledge, and statistical processing to delete extraneous **keywords** and rank the extracted **keywords**. The deletion function reduces the percentage of extraneous **words** from 90% to 50%. The ranking function captures 95% of the proper **keywords** in the top ten ranked **keywords**. (author abst.)  
DESCRIPTORS: Japanese; **word** processing; **indexing** (documentation); computer application system; **keyword**; system design; selection; grading(ranking)  
BROADER DESCRIPTORS: oriental language; natural language; language; computer application; utilization; information processing; treatment; information **arrangement** technique; documentation; information management; management; system; vocabulary; design; action and behavior  
CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): AC05010A; JE120000

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Automatic indexing and evaluation of keywords.

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NTT Denki Tsushin Kenkyujo Kenkyu Jitsuyoka Hokoku(Electrical Communication Laboratories Technical Journal), 1989, VOL.38,NO.1, PAGE.59-66, FIG.4, TBL.4, REF.5

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ABSTRACT: A new method for automatic indexing is proposed. Almost all existing automatic indexing systems adopt the free term method, which extracts many unnecessary keywords in addition to the necessary ones. The new method can delete the unnecessary keywords or rank all keywords extracted by the free term method. The new method adopts linguistic processing, knowledge processing, and statistical processing. Of the keywords extracted using the free term method, 90% are unnecessary. Using the deleting function of the new method, that ratio is reduced to 50%, and using the ranking function, 95% of the necessary keywords are included in the top ten keywords. (author abst.)

DESCRIPTORS: word processing; keyword ; index term ; thesaurus; indexing (documentation); automation; keyword index

BROADER DESCRIPTORS: computer application; utilization; information processing; treatment; vocabulary; authority file; information arrangement technique; documentation; information management; management; modification; index

CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): JE06000L; AC05020L